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CENTRAL VALLEY WATER BOARD ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE OFFICER PROPOSES \$90,000 IN PENALTIES TO THE ROSEVILLE DRY CREEK WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT

Sacramento —The City of Roseville faces \$90,000 in penalties for violations of effluent limitations in treated sewage at the City of Roseville Dry Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant.

The Assistant Executive Officer of the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board has issued an Administrative Civil Liability complaint for assessment of Mandatory Minimum Penalties (MMPs) pursuant to the California Water Code, section 13385, for violations of effluent limitations at the Roseville Dry Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant. (Under MMPs, the Water Board is required to assess the penalties in specific amount.)

The penalty represents the sum of the statutory MMPs for effluent limitation violations that occurred at the wastewater treatment plant from January 1, 2000 through December 31, 2007. The discharger violated the effluent limitations for ammonia, bis-(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate, cadmium, chlorine residual, cyanide, total coliform organisms, and turbidity (muddiness or cloudiness).

The Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board is a California state agency tasked with preservation and enhancement of quality in water resources. The board may consider the complaint at its regular public board meeting on September 11 or 12, 2008.